

## REMARKS

### Summary of Interview

Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for the interview with applicants' representatives on November 16, 2004.

At the interview, the applicants' representatives described the invention, discussed claim 20, and explained the differences in the invention as compared to Anglin (U.S. Patent No. 6,026,414) and Saxon (U.S. Patent No. 5,758,359). The Examiner agreed to accept independent claims incorporating the elements of claims 22 and 23, which are amended herein, to overcome the Anglin and Saxon references. Claims 47 and 48, which parallel claims 22 and 23 are similarly amended. In addition, the Examiner agreed to withdraw the 35 U.S.C. § 103 rejections over Anglin in view of Saxon from this application because Saxon does not discuss proxy clients and because it is not related to Anglin, but stated that additional searching may be required.

### Conclusion

Claims 7-17, 20, 22-45 and 47-69 are pending. Claims 1-6 and 18-19 were previously canceled. Claims 21 and 46 are canceled herein. Claims 20, 22-26, 37-41, 45, and 47-69 are currently amended. Applicants respectfully request that the Examiner withdraw all rejections, and allowance of all the pending claims is respectfully solicited. To expedite prosecution of this application to allowance, the examiner is invited to call the applicants' undersigned representative to discuss any issues relating to this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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